NOTES

SIAM—U.S.S.R. Collaborative Publication

On February 16, 1961, The Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM) announced publication of the English edition of Problems of Continuum Mechanics, a volume dedicated to Academician N. I. Muskhelishvili on his seventieth birthday. On this same day, the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. announced publication of the Russian edition, and these companion volumes have been presented to Muskhelishvili. This event is of interest, not only because the volume contains the recent work of leaders in the field of continuum mechanics, but also because it is the result of a collaborative publication effort between the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. and SIAM in the United States.

SIAM obtained the cooperation of the Academy of Sciences of the U.S.S.R. to prepare an English edition which could be published simultaneously with the Russian edition. To enable this to be done, the Academy of Sciences supplied SIAM with manuscripts of contributed papers in sufficient time to permit simultaneous bilingual publication.


The editorial board for the English edition consists of I. E. Block and J. R. M. Radok.

New Journal

BIT, Nordisk Tidskrift for Informations Behandling, is a new quarterly journal in the computer field, supported by the Scandinavian countries, including Finland and Iceland, and published by the Societies for Information Processing in these five countries.

BIT will contain scientific articles on numerical analysis, computer-technical problems, programming, operations research, and data-processing, and will publish informative articles on important new subjects. It is also intended to publish algorithms written in ALGOL.

Scientific papers of the kind mentioned above are welcomed from foreign countries. Further information concerning this new journal may be obtained from Dr. Carl-Erik Fröberg, Editor, Lunds Universitet, Solvegatan 14, Lund, Sweden.

CORRIGENDA


In the table of values of the generalized circular probable error, which appears on p. 170, the entry corresponding to \( c = .25, P = .55 \) should read 0.80030 instead of 0.80039.


On the bottom line, p. 125, for \( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/m^4 \sim 1/2n^2 \sim 0(h) \) read \( \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1/m^3 \sim 1/2n^3 \sim o(h) \).